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TO:

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Attention: Agenda Preparation

FROM:

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RE:

Item for the Board of Supervisors' Agenda

County Claims Board Recommendation in

Employment/Personnel Matter

Shawnda Stewart v. County of Los Angeles, et al. Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC 471 963

Attached is the Agenda entry for the Los Angeles County Claims Board's recommendation regarding the above-referenced matter.

It is requested that this recommendation be placed on the Board of Supervisors' Agenda.

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Attachment

Board Agenda

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

Los Angeles County Claims Board's recommendation: Authorize settlement of the matter entitled Shawnda Stewart v. County of Los Angeles, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC 471 963, in the amount of \$145,000 and instruct the Auditor-Controller to draw a warrant to implement the settlement from the Department of Health Services' budget.

This lawsuit concerns allegations that an employee of the Department of Health Services was subjected to racial discrimination and retaliation.